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U.S. Patent Documents

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,677,778 issued on 10/14/97 to Kanterakis et al.

Foreign Patent Documents

1. European Search Report No. EP 00 30 1382 dated 04/18/05
2. European Patent Application EP 1 061 685 A2 published 12/20/00, with English-language abstract.
3. PCT International Application WO 00/01097 published 01/06/00, with English-language abstract.

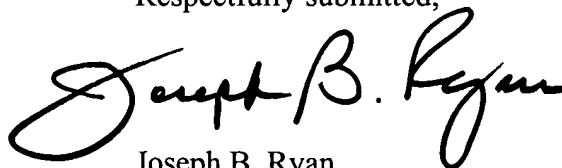
Other Documents

1. Y. Tanaka et al., "Optical Parallel Transmission with Multi-Wavelength for High Speed Communications on Indoor Channels," IEICE Trans. Commun., Vol. E81-B, No. 4, pp. 729-736, April 1998.

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